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Raleigh Chiu,

Please review "Proposed" Amendment A at your earliest convenience. I would like to call in the next day or two to seek your advice and recommendations.

Thanks,
Brian Costa

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Proposed Amendment A

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, District of Columbia 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action Mailed 2005 June 02, please amend the above application as follows:

Claims: Cancel all claims of record and substitute new claims 10 to 16 as follows:

10. A golf swing plane training apparatus, comprising:

a pair of elastic cords suspended substantially parallel to the ground and parallel to each other at a predetermined height;

means for suspending said pair of elastic cords having sufficient reinforcement to allow the repeated urging and relieving of forces upon said pair of elastic cords from a multitude of directions, whereby a golfer can swing a given golf club between said pair of elastic cords to determine if said swing is correct.

11. The golf swing plane training apparatus of claim 10, wherein means for suspending said pair of elastic cord comprises:

a free-standing frame structure, comprising:

a first end attachment member secured to a first base assembly and a first vertical support, and

a second end attachment member secured to a second base assembly and a second vertical support; and